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### NEWS STORIES OF MORE THAN PASSING INTEREST

Kolchak Buys American Cloth.  
New York—Army auctions \$4,000,000 worth of surplus textiles. Admiral Kolchak's Siberian government bought more than \$1,000,000 worth.

"Good Old Days" Apparently Return.  
London—Pirates operating on the Black sea have held up and robbed the steamer Constantine of \$15,000,000 worth of notes and gold, said a news agency dispatch from Constantinople.

Lightening Kills Boy Flying Kite.  
Scranton, Pa.—While emulating Benjamin Franklin by flying a kite during a thunderstorm, Andrew Loyal, 10, of this city was killed by a bolt of lightning which followed the wet kite string from the skies.

Would Like to Give Indies to U. S.  
London.—The National News says a suggestion that the British West Indies be ceded to the United States in part payment of Great Britain's war debt is being considered seriously on both sides of the Atlantic.

Barber Sets New Speed Record.  
Cleveland.—Vincent Guida set a new barbering record. He gave George Knoblauch a shave, hair-cut, singe, shampoo and hair tonic in 8 minutes, 43 seconds. The shop in which the exhibition was given was crowded.

Officer Jailed For Cowardice.  
Over, Mass.—Convicted of deserting his men, whom he had led into the fire of the enemy, Samuel H. Stone, formerly a second lieutenant of the 101st Infantry regiment, has been sent to Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, to begin a 10-year sentence.

Soldier Breaks Ribs in Bath Tub.  
New York—Major H. W. Insley, of Rich Hill, Mo., who arrived here on the Zealandia, went for two years in France without seeing a bath tub. When he started to get into one on the Zealandia, his foot slipped and he fell, suffering two broken ribs.

Women's Clothes to Cost 100% More.  
Chicago.—A 100 per cent increase in the cost of women's gowns for fall and winter was predicted by delegates to the third annual convention of the Woman's Wearing Apparel association. Increased cost of labor and high prices of silk and cotton were pointed to as the basic causes.

Pitches Hay On 102d Birthday.  
Medina.—Leslie Dunlap, of Shelby, celebrated his 102d birthday by assisting in drawing in hay from the fields. Mr. Dunlap was born in Shelby and has spent all his life here. Two years ago he fell and fractured his arm and the bones knitted as well as if he was but 18. He has six children living.

Congress Honors General Pershing.  
Washington—Preparations for the welcome of General Pershing are being made by Congress and the War Department. The Congressional program calls for the gift of a sword, a vote of thanks, and the permanent rank of general of the commander of the American Expeditionary Forces.

Former Slave Leaves \$40,000 Estate.  
Fayette, Mo.—Jackson Hill, an aged Negro, former slave, who died recently, left an estate valued at more than \$40,000. Hill was more than 80 years old, and was a slave before the Civil War. He had never been outside Howard county, it is said. Soon after the war he began to do trucking and built up a large business. He owned a valuable farm.

5,000,000 Eggs Permitted To Rot.  
Genoa, Italy—Under the fierce rays of the sun, 5,000,000 American eggs, which were dumped on the wharves here have been cooked into the world's greatest omelette and an offensive nuisance to Genoese nostrils. Eggs, 12,000 crates of them, were consigned to Switzerland, but transport difficulties prevented the shipment from proceeding.

Pershing Coming Home.  
Coblenz—Coblenz will become the headquarters of the American forces in Europe when American grand headquarters in Paris close about August 20, it became known when General Pershing arrived here on his final tour of the battlefields. Antwerp will be the base port for the American contingent that is to remain on the Rhine indefinitely. General Pershing said he intended to sail from the Brest about September 1. It was said to be probable that the composite regiment of picked men that marched in the Paris and London victory parade will sail with the American command-in-chief.

World's Fattest Man Is Dead.  
New York—"Jack" Wilson, said to be the fattest man in the world, who weighed 650 pounds, died in a hospital here of paralysis. When Wilson who for years has been exhibited in a side show at Coney Island, was taken to the hospital, it was found an ambulance was too small to hold him, and he was transferred in a motor truck. At the hospital it was found necessary to carry him through the door sideways and to arrange two mattresses on the floor for a bed.

ADMires BOOSTING SPIRIT OF  
THE WEST.

"If the people of Northeastern Michigan were all as much given to boosting their own locality as I found those of the drouth stricken regions of Montana I believe we wouldn't have room for the settlers who would be rushing our way," said T. F. Marston, secretary of the Development bureau, who returned last week from a trip to Miles City and Billings, Mont., where he went to interview stockmen on the subject of shipping their stock to Michigan pastures.

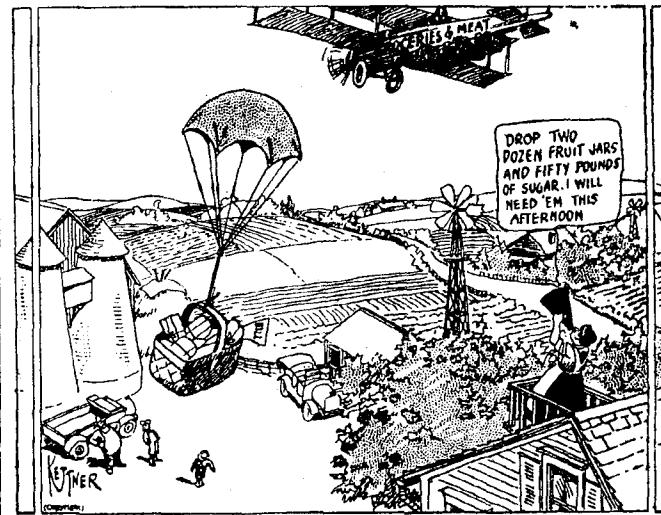
"In spite of the fact that they have had no rain there since last May and their ranges are so dry that a Michi-

### KINDERGARTEN HELPS FOR PARENTS

WHY KINDERGARTENS.

(By P. P. Claxton, United States Commissioner of Education.)  
Have you ever learned as much in any other six years of your life as in the first six? Of the heavens above you and the earth about you? Of your own body and soul? Of elementary, social and economic relations? Of fundamental qualities of things? And of the activities of

### What We May Look For Soon



preceding, but still only one-tenth of the children of kindergarten age are in kindergartens—about one-fourth of those who live in cities and towns. Wherever there is a kindergarten the children attend gladly. No compulsion is required. The happiness and the joy of it are sufficient.

Then why not provide kindergartens for all? The only excuse is economy. But, it is good economy to save a few dollars at the price of neglect of the children at this most important age?

Is your community awake to its responsibility? Is it doing its full duty?

Are there kindergartens in all your schools?

Help to reach all the parents of the country by cutting this out and passing it on to a friend.

### LATEST ARRIVALS

New Blouses, in Voiles and sheer muslins, pretty styles, Georgette crepe in all the new shades.

For Dresses, Silk chiffon, Plain voiles, Figured voile, Foulards, Lace cloth, Marquisette, crepe, Rice cloth, Poplins, Percalines, Ginghams, Batiste, Bedford cord, Ladies' fancy neckwear, Plaited collars and Rufflings in all shades.

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NOTICE OF EXAMINATION, 1919.  
Teachers' August 14, 15, 16; General Information.

1.—The examination in reading for all grades will be based on bulletin No. 4, entitled, "The Teaching of Reading."

2.—Three questions in theory and art of teaching will be based on the "Vitalized School," by Pearson.

3.—Three questions in civil government will be based on "Americanism, What it is," by David Jayne Hill.

4.—Five questions in U. S. History will be based on "Democracy and the War," by Fuller, bulletin No. 20.

5.—The examination in spelling and orthography will be based on "Word Study and Spelling" bulletin No. 10.

6.—"Vitalized School" and "Americanism, What is it" are the teacher to reading circle books and can be secured from the commissioner at \$1.98 postpaid, for the set of two.

7.—The bulletins are furnished by the Dep't of Public Instruction, and may be secured from the commission-

er.

8.—The Teachers' examination for Crawford county will be held at the Court House at Grayling, August 14, 15, and 16.

M. E. Hoyt,  
Commissioner.

IS IT HOT  
ENOUGH  
FOR YOU?

And Frobels was equally right in his estimate of the value of socializing the life of little children through the proper organization and direction of their spontaneous plays and other activities. Since he discovered the kindergarten thousands of men and women have worked out its technique far beyond his ability, until it has come to be regarded among thoughtful educators as one of the most valuable parts of our system of education.

The kindergarten is good for children of all classes, for the rich and poor; for black and white; for native and foreign born—for many reasons probably more valuable for the children of the foreign-born among us than for any others.

The growth of the kindergarten in this country has been greater in the last ten years than in the 40 years

Moved and supported that the report he accepted and orders drawn on the Treasurer for the amounts. Motion carried.

Moved and supported that the Clerk be instructed to order 10 cars of gravel for the streets. Motion carried.

Moved and supported that we put all of the unpaid "Flu" bills in the hands of our Prosecuting Attorney for collection. Motion carried.

Moved and supported that the President appoint Committees to act on program for home coming of Sailors and Soldiers for some Saturday during the month of August, and that we appropriate \$200.00 for the event. Motion carried.

Moved and supported that we adjourn. Motion carried.

James Olson,  
Village Clerk.

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## STATE NEWS

Bay City—Cooking school rooms in the public schools are being used by canning clubs.

Bay City—Eva, 21 months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Grove, drank a solution used for disinfecting. First aid efforts saved the child's life.

Grand Rapids—This city has returned to a six cent car fare after a month's trial of a five cent fare. Fifteen tickets for \$1 are being sold.

Battle Creek—While preparing to go to bed, Patrolman Oscar Hess dropped a revolver on the floor. The weapon was discharged and the bullet entered Hess' leg.

Port Huron—Every girl who attends school in Port Huron hereafter will be taught the rudiments of sewing and cooking, according to Superintendent Harlan A. Davis.

St. Helen—While the mother was absent, one of the five month old twins of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Behl slipped between the bed and the wall and strangled to death.

Irono—Owing to the liberal manner in which stock in the Ionia Housing Corporation has been subscribed, it has been found necessary to increase the capital stock from \$50,000 to \$75,000.

Grand Rapids—A local concern announces the production of a wooden composition to be used instead of sole leather for shoes. It consists of several thicknesses of light wood glued together.

Grand Rapids—Because he tried to tame a colt by fastening its head to its tail and then whirling it around until it fell and was killed, Frank Hollister, a Barry County farmer, paid a fine of \$100 and costs.

Ann Arbor—Dr. Warren Vaughn, who was discharged from the Army recently, having served as a chief of medical service, says that it was American newspaper publicity which brought about a reform at Brest.

Kalamazoo—Unable to find a boarding place after his release from jail, Mike Burke got drunk again so he would be committed again, he explained to Municipal Judge Thru. He was given another 15 days in the same cell.

Flint—Limit sentences for auto thieves will be tried by the local courts to break up the epidemic of thefts here. The first offender to receive the limit was William Lester, man who drew 2 1/2 to 5 years in Marquette.

Mt. Clemens—The Wilson Foundry & Machine Co. has announced that contracts have been awarded for three additions to the group of factory buildings. It is also announced that the new foundry will be rushed to completion.

Port Huron—Four million feet of logs, valued at \$18,000, went astray near the mouth of the St. Clair river, when a big log boom, owned by the Cleveland Sandia Sawmill Co., broke. Lumbermen say that it will cost \$200,000 to salvage the timber.

East Lansing—For the first time in its history, Michigan agricultural college will remain open during the fall 12 months of the year. A second summer term, continuing until September 12, is the innovation rounding out the active year for the college.

Lacrosse—John Bondi, 28, of Kalamazoo, was instantly killed and his four sleeping companions were severely burned when lightning struck the tent in which they were sleeping. All were employees of the Laviolette Players Show company, which was billeted to present a series of comedies and tragedies in a tour here.

Monroe—Equipment of the Gibb stone quarry near Scofield together with 20 small tenement houses were destroyed by fire with an estimated loss of \$75,000. The insurance was only \$5,000. It is announced that the plant, which was established by former State Senator William Gibb, 20 years ago, will not be rebuilt.

Flint—Search for bandits who robbed a man giving the name of John Brown, of Detroit, of \$140 and three crates of eggs, developed the fact moonshine whisky was being distilled in Flint in egg crates and resulted in the arrest of Frank Lask for alleged moonshining. Three stills and many gallons of whisky and mash have been confiscated.

Detroit—In search of his two children who were sent to the United States by an American charitable association in Belgium, John De Groot, former soldier in the Belgian army, arrived in Detroit. The children, twins, are John and Simon, six years old, and their father says he has not seen them since he left for the front in 1914. They are said to be housed in an orphanage near San Diego. He is working toward the West in an effort to locate them.

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Detroit—According to new city directory figures Detroit's population is well over the one million mark.

Kalamazoo—Eleven bicycle riders paid \$1 each in 11 minutes in municipal court for riding on sidewalks.

Ravenna—Because of the scourge of grasshoppers, scores of farmers around Ravenna have cut their oats while yet green.

Bay City—Meat production clubs are being formed here, the Bay City Poultry Association encouraging the movement.

Manton—A new bank will be established in this village this fall. Dan G. McAfee, former resident, is at the head of the company.

Kalamazoo—Joseph Miller and Frank Boyle were severely scalded when a keg of hot water burst at one of the local paper mills.

Bay City—George Davis, chief of police, went into the Metropole Hotel parlor, opened the player piano and found four pints of whisky.

Sandusky—Joshua Bear, farmer, was killed when a tug of the harness broke, causing the whippetree to fly back, hitting him in the chest.

White Pigeon—At a special election, White Pigeon voted by 243 to 42 to bond the village for \$10,000 to erect a modern municipal water works.

Armeda—Contracts have been awarded for the construction of three roads, one leading to Mt. Clemens, one to Romeo, and one to Richmond.

Port Huron—Use of chlorine in the drinking water of city, is given credit for cutting down the death rate of the city from 185 people a 100,000, to 14.

Charlotte—Mary Spaulding, playing at a picnic, was saved from drowning when she fell into Battle Creek by persons attracted by the barking of her pet dog.

Tecumseh—Two cows were burned to death when they were literally swallowed by the earth, having strayed over a field beneath which much has been burning for weeks.

Harbor Spring—Mrs. William Lecco, of Oden, ran off a bridge over a small stream near Conway. The car turned over in the stream with Mrs. Lecco beneath. She was able to crawl out.

Mason—All farm buildings, except the house, together with the season's grain crops, were burned on the Allen Bygrave farm, north of here, as the result of sparks from a threshing engine.

Port Huron—George and Harry Chappelle, of this city, have arrived home after serving nearly three years with the Canadian army. The former was 16 and the latter 17 at the time they enlisted. Both were wounded.

Mt. Clemens—Macomb county rural school teachers will be paid 20 to 30 per cent higher salaries than they received last year. Superintendent William Lecco is experiencing difficulty securing teachers for the rural schools.

Bessie—Suit for \$25,000 damages has been brought against Watersmeet township by John Caning, who alleges that neglect of the public highway was responsible for the automobile accident which caused the death of his wife.

Grand Rapids—Although two of her sons are permanently disabled from the effects of gas inhaled on the western front, Mrs. May McIntosh has sent a third, Douglas Symington, 26, who just returned from 15 months service in France, back to the army.

Bay City—Clare Howard, 18 year old, was drowned while swimming at Donahe beach, a resort near here. Howard, with his brother, Dewey, and two young ladies, rowed a boat several hundred yards from shore and Howard jumped from the boat. He came to the surface once and then disappeared.

Lansing—Present industrial conditions in Michigan and the consequent shortage of labor may necessitate a curtailment of highway construction planned for this year, according to Frank P. Rogers, highway commissioner, who says he has found difficulty in obtaining men and bids on work as well.

South Haven—Arthur Hinz, aged 20, was found with a bullet hole through his head in the pasture of a farm east of his city. His father, searching for him, was attracted by barking of a dog. It is believed he slipped on dry grass and shot himself with a revolver carried to shoot sparrows. Although he lay all day in the sun, he was alive when found, but died before the doctor arrived.

Lansing—Attorney General Alex J. Groves has advised Secretary of State Coleman C. Vaughan not to accept the initiatory petitions filed by the wets for a referendum vote on the ratification of the federal prohibition amendment. Unless the courts reverse the opinion there will be no prohibition battle in Michigan next year. The attorney general holds that the state referendum clause applies only to legislation by bill and does not cover amendments to the federal constitution.

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Detroit—The retail price of milk has been raised to 16 cents per quart and 10 cents per pint during August and September. This was decided by the Michigan milk commission after a stormy session at which both producers and distributors of the state were given a hearing. The commission held to the one-cent increase over old prices in spite of the fact that a large number of distributors argued hotly that such a small increase in price to the consumer would force them to operate at a decided loss. Another raise is forecast.

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Kalkaska—Forest Fire Warden William Pearson has received several letters from E. C. Marble, of Newcastle, Ind., with an offer to provide the northern section of Michigan with good rainfall. He agrees to eliminate forest fire dangers entirely or receive no pay. The Hoosier says that he recently demonstrated he could produce rain over any given area. Marble also says that he produced the rains over Wisconsin and Minnesota last year after those states suffered many millions of loss. Chief Pearson has asked for demonstration.

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## BOSTON STREETS CONGESTED BY CAR STRIKE



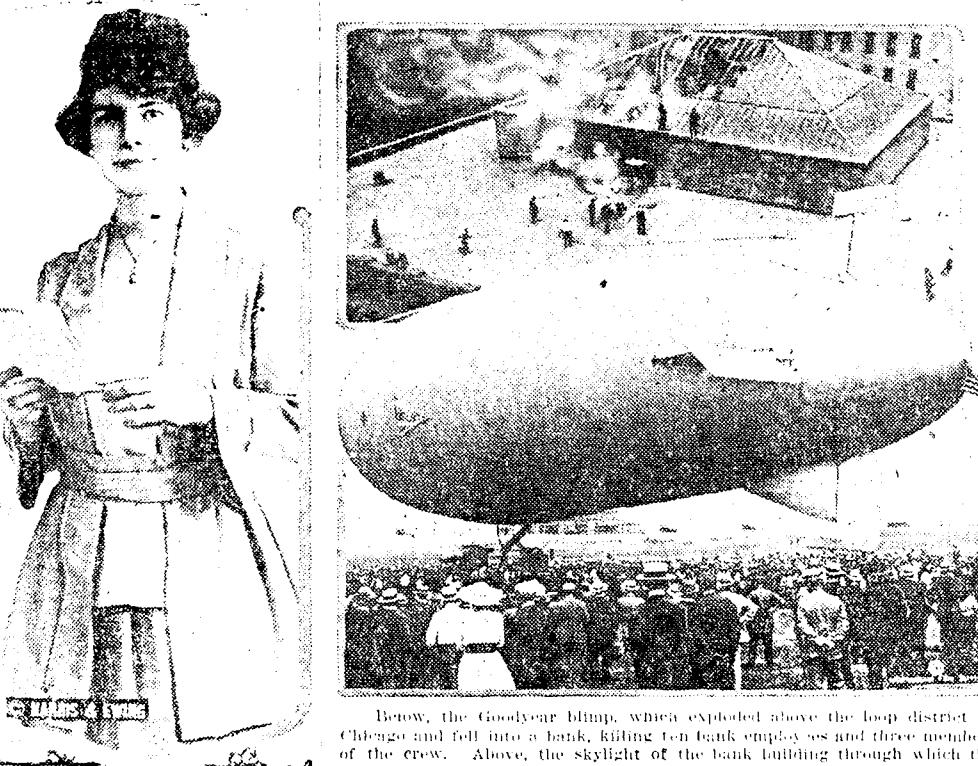
Streets and sidewalks in Boston are congested by persons walking or riding to work in any sort of conveyance during the car strike, which has tied up transportation.

## APACHES HOLD THEIR LAST TRIBAL MEETING



The remaining members of the famed Apache tribe, 600 in number, held their last encampment at Mescalero, N. M., recently. The tribe was once the most feared and populous of Indian groups in the West. The ceremonies this year took the form of ceremonial dances, feasting and other exercises dear to the heart of the red man.

## MADE FROM CARTRIDGE SILK



The ordinance bureau of the war department is offering to the dress goods trade 18,000,000 yards of material which will be complete novelty to industry. It is a special silk made for wrapping cartridge bags, of a quality which should retail for two or three dollars a yard. To prove that the cloth is suitable for dress goods, Col. E. E. Garrison had a dress made and fitted to his secretary. Here it is.

## Should Be Careful.

Every spring in Veneza the question arises: "Shall the bathing suits be censored?" They were discussing the matter at the Woman's club the other night and one prima member said:

"Really, I do think that the present costumes are rather underdone. I know they are better for swimming and all that, but you never know who sees you under the water, with all these submersibles about."

## An' Everything.

Martha, who is about ready to finish her kindergarten, had seen the circus parade, and, at dinner, was telling her father of the wonderful sights. "An', papa, I saw one o' those green, green' potamus; an' a whole lot o' sheepsheads (papa's questions developed he meant leopards) an' white mens; an' some elephants playin' crack the whip, hol' o' each other's tails; an'—everything in the world."

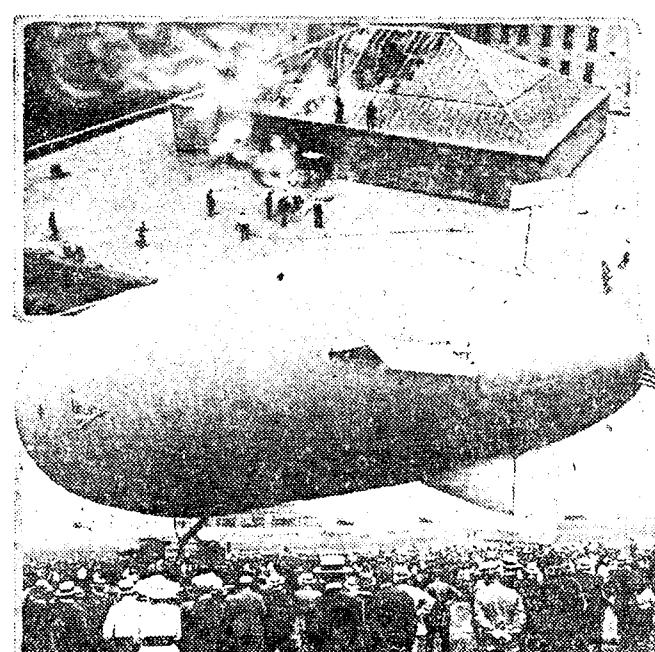
## For One's Own Comfort.

Half the sting of poverty is gone when one keeps house for one's own comfort and not for the comfort of one's neighbors. It is not what we have, but what we see others have, that makes us discontented.—Miss Mulock.

## Early Sewing Machine.

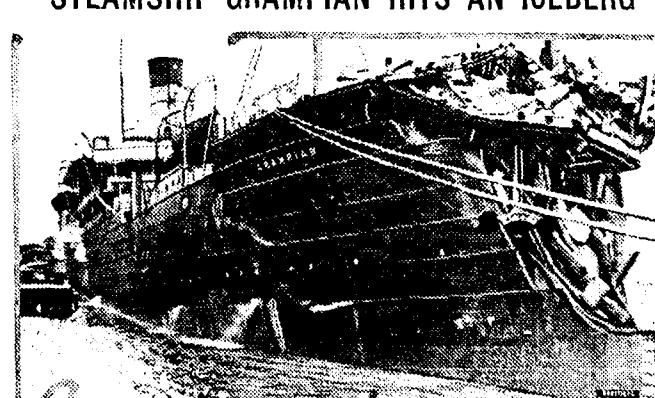
Thomas Saint, an Englishman, obtained a patent for the first sewing machine in 1790 in London. The mechanism of the machine was made of wood.

## DIRIGIBLE EXPLODES; THIRTEEN KILLED



Below, the Goodyear blimp, which exploded above the loop district of Chicago and fell into a bank, killing ten bank employees and three members of the crew. Above, the skylight of the bank building through which the blimp crashed.

## STEAMSHIP GRAMPION HITS AN ICEBERG



The Canadian Pacific steamship Grampian in St. John's harbor with her bows stowed in a result of striking an iceberg. No damage was done under the water line. The Grampian steamed under her own power from Cape Race where it hit the berg, back to St. John's.

## TRADE BRIEFS

January is the wheat harvesting season of Australia.

Sheep are used as beasts of burden in northern India and carry 20-pound loads.

Durable strings for lacquering machine belts are sometimes made of eel skins.

An experimental farm to demonstrate the value of American agricultural machinery is to be operated in the state of Sinaloa, Mexico.

According to an English oculist digestive troubles have an important effect upon eye diseases, while weaknesses of the eyes have but little effect on digestion.

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Among the various uses of coconut oil in India is its application as a mange cure for dogs, for which purpose it is said to be very effective.

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## LOCAL NEWS

GRAYLING, THURSDAY, AUG. 7

Mrs. Terhune of Frederic was a Grayling caller Tuesday.

William H. Hack of Vanderbilt spent Monday in Grayling on business.

A. W. Nellist and son Frank of Keno were in Grayling Monday on business.

Mrs. Hans Hanson of Lewiston was in Grayling yesterday having some optical work done.

G. C. Wittnermeyer of Roscommon is employed at the Burrows' meat market as sausage maker.

Miss Edith Wellington of Lewiston has entered the Training school for nurses at Mercy hospital this city.

Miss Anna LaMotte of Mercy hospital is visiting friends in Bay City and Wyandotte, during her two weeks' vacation.

Fr. J. Riess of this city with Fathers Nys of Mackinaw and Winn of Carlton are enjoying a trip up around the Soo.

Floyd McClain left Sunday night for Chicago, to rejoin the Ringling Brothers' band for the season. Mr. McClain was with this organization last season.

Miss Blanche Cypress has been enjoying a couple of weeks' vacation at her home in Cheboygan. She returned Tuesday to resume her duties at Mercy hospital.

Mrs. Lewis Kesseler, who a couple of weeks ago submitted to a serious operation at Mercy hospital, is feeling very much improved and will soon be able to be dismissed.

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From now on what in the world is going to make Milwaukee famous? — Ex.

Mrs. Alex Lagrow is visiting relatives in Whittemore and Standish this week.

A. Taylor is improving his home on Peninsular Avenue by making extensive repairs.

Remington big game cartridges won Grand Prize at the Panama-Pacific exposition.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Jennings and son, Robert, are spending a few days at Turner, Mich.

Loren Crapo of Boyne City is in the city visiting his daughter Mrs. Merlin Maxwell.

V. F. & J. Heinzelman have taken down their skating rink and are moving to Midland.

Miss Rose Gross of Detroit is here for a couple of weeks' visit with her parents and friends.

Wifred Laurent is here from Cheboygan for a few days' visit with his parents and friends.

John Leonard left Saturday night for Flint to spend a few days with his son George and family.

Louis Herbison left Sunday night to spend the week visiting his mother, who resides at Bath, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Strope of Detroit have purchased the Henry Baum cottage at Lake Margrethe.

Mr. and Mrs. George Richardson drove here from Lewiston Tuesday to look after some business matters.

Miss Edna Page of Detroit is visiting her sister, Mrs. Liphard of the South side for a couple of weeks.

Miss Mae Whipple left Monday noon for Lansing to enjoy a couple of weeks' vacation, visiting relatives.

Miss Fern Hum returned Thursday from a several weeks' visit in Dayton, Ohio, with the A. H. Wetz family.

Miss Lillian Landsberg is home from Detroit for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Max Landsberg.

Mrs. A. C. Olson and children have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Goodrich at Gaylord since Saturday.

Mrs. Louise VanAlstyne, of Detroit formerly Miss Louise Mahon of Grayling was here on business the latter part of the week.

Tony Nelson returned Tuesday afternoon from a two weeks' visit in Ann Arbor, Detroit and other southern Michigan cities.

Oscego county is getting ready for their county fair, which is to be held at Gaylord, the county seat, for four days, September 23-26.

Miss Francelia Failing came home Friday from Decatur, Ill., where she had been visiting relatives for several weeks. She also visited friends in Detroit while away.

West Branch has organized an Automobile association, the members consisting of automobile owners of West Branch and vicinity.

Mrs. Lester Williams, of Lewiston, who has been a patient at Mercy hospital for the past couple of weeks, expects to return home today.

Get ready for the Grange picnic and dance that will be given Saturday August 23rd at the farm home of Charles Corwin near Grayling.

Misses Edna Bebb and Leona Skinner left Saturday for Bay City, Saginaw and Munger, at which places they will visit relatives of the former.

Ditmam's Ever-Ready cements, mends: glass, china, wood, brie-a-broc, Bisque, leather, rubber, etc. Always ready for use. Sorenson Bros.

Messrs. Clarence Johnson, Benjamin Laurent, Phil VanPatten and Leslie McMahon of Detroit spent Monday and Tuesday in Cheboygan.

Mrs. T. Boesen and Mrs. Walter Hanson returned Wednesday of last week from Johannesburg after a few days' visit with relatives and friends.

Gaylor was scheduled to play ball at Grayling last Sunday and a large crowd assembled at the ball park and waited patiently for the visiting team to arrive but they failed to show up.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Darling, and daughter Helen of Albany, N. Y. arrived Tuesday to visit their parents Mr. and Mrs. A. Taylor, also her son Alvin LaChapelle for a couple of weeks.

George Hodge and son John came from Atlanta Tuesday night to visit at the home of Irvin Hodge for a short period. Mrs. Hodge and children who now reside in Detroit are visiting relatives at Flint for ten days.

Paul Ford returned Saturday afternoon to his home in Detroit after a ten days' visit here. Mrs. Ford and baby who accompanied him here are at present visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. George Hodge at Atlanta, Mich.

Arnold Burrows was in Flint a couple of days last week on account of the illness of his mother, who resides in that city. He returned Friday, accompanied by his brother, Robert, who spent a few days here visiting at the Burrows' home.

Miss Rhena Olstrom returned last night to Detroit after a visit her with her sister Mrs. Charles Adams and also with her father at Deward. Their sister, Miss Edith Olstrom, who is employed in Grand Rapids is spending ten days in Grayling visiting at the Adams home. The latter formerly made her home here.

The Messrs. Edward and Sheldon Malette are here visiting their mother, Mrs. Malette, who recently came to Grayling to reside. Both young men served in the U. S. Navy, the former was but recently discharged from service. Mr. Sheldon Malette has been visiting friends in Duluth, Minn., from which place he came Sunday morning.

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See Hathaway and save your eyes. You will see easier and better.

Mrs. Joe Mozeny is entertaining her daughter and children of Detroit.

Mrs. C. M. Hewitt is entertaining her sister Miss Della, Dufour of Detroit.

Mrs. Rolla Hull went to West Branch yesterday for a short visit with her parents.

Mrs. Erding McNeven is enjoying a two weeks' vacation from her duties at the Postoffice.

Miss Mabel Nelson is home from Pigeon, visiting at the parental home. She arrived Monday morning.

Miss Anna Lagild returned Friday to her home in Milwaukee after a three weeks' visit with her aunt Mrs. Hape R. Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Thorwald P. Peterson and daughter Jean left Monday for Vassar to visit relatives for a couple of weeks. They made the trip in their auto.

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Miss Vita Fischer will go to Madison, Wis., to visit her sister, Mrs. A. R. Engler and her brother Will Friday. She expects to accept a position in that city later.

Get ready for school in September by having Hathaway examine the children's eyes. It will pay big dividends in health and energy.

Monday afternoon twenty-six girls and boys were entertained by Helen Schumann. It was her tenth birthday and the youngsters helped to make it a very happy day for her.

Harold Rasmussen, manager of the Sailing Hanson Co. store left Sunday on a business trip to Chicago, in the interest of that company. He will return the latter part of the week.

Misses Mary and Margaret Cassidy returned Friday from a visit with their sister, Sister Mary Pancratia of Mount Mercy, Grand Rapids. They also visited other relatives while in that city.

Charles Miller, a brother of William J. Miller, and friend of Detroit, returned to that city Tuesday morning after a few days' spent here guests at the Miller home. They made the trip by auto.

A dancing party is to be given at the pavilion in Lovells next Saturday evening to which all are cordially invited. One given last Saturday evening proved a very enjoyable affair, and a large crowd attended.

A. C. Olson of the Central Drug store left Sunday for Detroit to attend the centenary exposition of the Michigan Drug company that was held in that city Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, of this week.

If 40 cent hair cuts and 20 cent shaves are going to keep up we believe the board of regents could very properly add a course in shaving and hair cutting to the University curriculum—Charlotte Republican.

Mrs. William Beezer returned to Detroit this afternoon, after a ten days' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rasmus Rasmussen and other relatives. She will leave Detroit Monday for Silver lake to be gone for a week and then will return to Detroit.

Capt. Hardin C. Sweeney of the 13th Infantry, stationed at Camp Merritt, N. J., and wife, who was formerly Miss Alice Brink of this city, arrived Grayling Wednesday for a few days' visit with Capt. Sweeney's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Sweeney, and their many Grayling friends.

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Mr. and Mrs. Severin Jenson returned Friday morning from a visit in Marlette. Mrs. Jenson had been called there a couple of weeks ago on account of the illness of their daughter Mrs. Hornbeck. Mr. Jenson had been gone a week.

Rev. Kjolhede left the fore part of the week for Kimballton, Iowa to attend a golden wedding anniversary celebration of some friends. Services will be held as usual Sunday in the Danish-Lutheran Church. Kandidat Svend Kjolhede will preside, owing to Rev. Kjolhede's absence.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Mortenson of Saginaw returned to their home yesterday after having spent a month at Lake Margrethe. Mr. Mortenson who is in ill-health feels so much improved that he says he will come here again next summer but for a longer stay. The Mortensons were residents of Grayling ten years ago.

About thirty members of Grayling Council K. of C. No. 1982 attended the institution of a Knights of Columbus council at West Branch last Sunday. At that time the initiation of a charter class of about 100 members also took place. Clark's orchestra of this place went along to furnish the music, when a program of addresses were given. There were delegations from the different cities both north and south of West Branch present on that day, and from reports the affair was a success.

J. W. Garrison and family of Columbus, Ohio, and the former's father, Samuel Garrison of Hastings, arrived last week and are in their comfortable cottage at Lake Margrethe. Mr. Garrison, who is a railroad conductor, says that he had a hard time to get a vacation this year due to the large amount of work to be done and the scarcity of workmen.

Mr. Bert Scholtz and Miss Edna Brown of Saginaw drove here Friday to spend a few days with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter L. Brown. At Bay City they were joined by Miss Violet Woodruff, who accompanied them here. They left Sunday afternoon on their return trip and Miss Bossie Brown went with them to spend a couple of weeks' vacation in Saginaw and Bay City.

The assessed valuation of Crawford county as recommended by the State Tax commission is \$3,585,000. The valuation as placed by the State board of Equalization and the one in operation by the county is \$3,000,000.

The new valuation will therefore add \$585,000 to our county valuation unless it is changed at the meeting of the State Board of equalization which will meet in Lansing August 18.

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GRAYLING, THURSDAY, AUG. 7

## LOCAL NEWS

Olaf Michelson drove to Gaylord yesterday on a business mission.

Benny Jorgenson has returned from Detroit after a several weeks' stay.

Jacob Berlin of Onoway, formerly of Grayling is in town calling on old friends.

Miss Nina Petersen is entertaining Miss Edna McNely of Detroit, who arrived yesterday.

Philip VanPatten will leave tonight for Flint, after a couple of weeks' visit in Grayling.

Miss Verna Biggs is home from Lansing enjoying a vacation visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Biggs.

Mrs. August Libke and son Carl of Tawas City arrived yesterday to visit at the home of Herman Doroh and family.

Miss Gertrude Dufour returned yesterday to Bay City, after a few weeks spent here visiting her cousin Miss Creva Hewitt.

William Pobursky arrived from Detroit last Thursday morning to visit his wife and children who are at the H. Petersen home.

James Sewell of Lorain, Ohio is here visiting his sisters Mrs. F. O. Peck and Mrs. E. O. Scriver of Maple Forest and friends.

B. H. Helle of Chicago, and party drove over from Higgins lake yesterday and spent the day here. All are resorting at Higgins.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Tromble returned Tuesday from Royal Oak, where they had been visiting their daughter Mrs. Guy E. Bradley.

Victor Petersen received word today to report for duty at the Ford Motor company, Detroit at once. He left this afternoon for that place.

Miss Aretie Hulett and Mr. George Glenwood Maxson were unit in marriage Tuesday evening by Justice Allen B. Failing at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hinkley.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Trudeau drove over here from Onoway last Sunday bringing their daughter Mrs. Charles Sullivan and Miss Marcella, who had been visiting them, home.

House for sale—The Otto Baumgarten house on Mikado St. A fine five room, house in good condition ready to move into. Terms reasonable. For further information call on J. W. Sorenson.

Mrs. Cameron Game and children, accompanied by Mrs. Holger Schmidt left yesterday to drive to Marion Mich., to visit the former's parents. They expect to return home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Marten and son of Royal Oak and Mrs. Jennie Schoonover of Utica returned home Saturday after a week's visit with the former's mother Mrs. F. M. Freeland.

Miss Anna Canfield of Detroit, sister of Dr. C. A. Canfield has been a guest at the Clark cottage at Lake Margrethe for several days. She expects to return home tomorrow.

Rev. and Mrs. Aaron Mitchell and son Allen of Saginaw are at the Robert Reagan cottage at Isle Margrethe for a couple of weeks of re-creation. They are also calling on old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Gates and little son Bobbie Wingard expect to leave in the morning for their home in Fowlerville. Mrs. Gates' parents, Mr. and Mrs. James H. Wingard will go with them as far as Lake City.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles White of Butte, Montana, arrived in Grayling Monday morning to visit the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Nelson. Mrs. White will be remembered as Miss Clara Nelson before her marriage.

William Pobursky and family and Miss Marjory Petersen were in Johannesburg over Sunday visiting Mrs. Pobursky's sister, Mrs. Andy Larson. Mr. Larson drove them back to Grayling Tuesday, accompanied by his daughter Avis.

Mrs. R. M. Gardner returned Tuesday to her home in Cheboygan, after a several days' visit with the Anthony Trudeau family. Mrs. G. H. Trudeau and little daughter, the former a daughter of Mrs. Gardner, and who accompanied her here remained for a longer visit.

After August 14 no one will be al-

HOME-COMING DAY  
PROCLAMATION.

By the Mayor.

At the last regular meeting of the Council of the Village of Grayling, it was decided that we hold a Home-Coming day, to prove to the Soldiers and Sailors of Crawford county, that we approve and appreciate the splendid record made by them one and all in the World war.

I, therefore, appoint the following gentlemen to assist me, as an executive committee, and they will please meet at the Social Club rooms on Friday evening, August 8th, at 7:30 o'clock: O. P. Schumann, M. Hanson, T. P. Peterson, M. A. Bates, Henry Bauman and C. M. Morff.

Respectfully,  
H. Petersen,  
Mayor.

lowed to drive an auto unless they have an operators' license. License costs 50 cents. Application blanks may be had at the office of the County clerk, which together with the fee must be mailed to the State department. Don't be late. Attend to this matter now and avoid the last-week rush that is certain to come.

## ELDORADO NUGGETS.

Mrs. I. R. Gile of Clarkson, accompanied by her son, Arthur Gile and wife of Detroit, spent Sunday with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Funsch of Lansing were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Funsch Friday. They were accompanied by their uncle, Albert Funsch of Pere Cheney, where they have been visiting for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Orcutt of Roscommon were Sunday callers in the neighborhood.

Morton Kline of Louisville, Ky., is expected this week to join his wife and two daughters, who have been spending the summer at the home of Mrs. Kline's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James F. Crane.

Mrs. Emma Lundquist of Chicago, is spending a few weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wagner.

Julius Kreuzer, who has been employed at road making near Mio, is home for a short time to attend to his farm work.

Miss Erna Weber is spending a few weeks with Mrs. Ira Robinson near Lutzner.

Stewart Hagaman of Lutzner called on friends here Thursday.

## RIVERVIEW ITEMS.

Mr. J. Billings moved his family to Fred Schreyer's camp Sunday. J. H. Grover and wife spent a few days at their farm in Gladwin Co. H. Carney spent Sunday in Grayling.

Luther Gibbons spent a few days with his parents this week.

Mr. M. McLeod, wife and daughter took dinner with Mrs. J. H. Grover.

Mrs. Caukin entertained a party from Alma at the "Alma" Fishing club house here."

A number done business in Grayling Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Weiss are entertaining the former's brother and family of Monroe.

Jim Grover left for Manistee last Thursday.

Bernard Bromwell spent Sunday with his parents at the hotel Riverview.

Miss Emma Weisse spent a few days at home this week.

Master Floyd Lovelly of Grayling is spending the week with Freddie Bromwell.

Margrete Weisse had one of the Lamont girls as a guest this week.

## LOVELLS ITEMS.

The dance at Lovells last Saturday night was well attended. Newell Underhill, wife and sister-in-law Mrs. W. Beeler motored out from Grayling.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Parker returned Wednesday morning from a short visit in Detroit.

The corn crop around Lovells and vicinity looks extra good this year.

The Akron Trout Club members are making some fine trout catches.

Berry pickers are getting some fine blue berries along the road between Lovells and Lewiston.

The M. C. R. R. caused quite a lot of excitement in Lovells Wednesday morning, when they ran an extra train thru from Grayling.

Blackberries are very plentiful around Lovells—exceptionally good this year.

Farmers around Lovells expect a heavy rye yield when their rye is threshed.

## IN THE RAIN

By G. GODFREY.

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## PRAYER ROCK WIDELY KNOWN

Idea of Vermont Citizen Has Been Productive of Far Reaching and Splendid Results.

On a cliff at the foot of Drake's hill, in Bristol, Vt., is the so-called Prayer rock, which has become widely known during the past 15 years with the increased use of motor cars. It was in 1891 that Dr. Joseph C. Greene, a former citizen of Lincoln, Vt., be thought himself how he might do something to stop the excessive use of hard language indulged in by exasperated farmers seeking to urge their horses and oxen up the steep rise in the main road between Lincoln and Starkshire. He decided that some ethical or religious reminder should be established at the foot of Drake's hill, and finally gave an order to a stonemason to engrave the Lord's Prayer upon the face of the cliff. As the nature of the rock did not bring out the lettering clearly, Doctor Greene had the text painted white. Every spring the town authorities now repaint the letters. For many years Doctor Greene lived in Buffalo, and there received hundreds of letters from tourists, expressing approval of his prayer rock idea. The carving had the effect desired, for few drivers could but be patient with their beasts of burden in the face of the scriptural quotation on that great tablet.

"I beg your pardon; can you tell me the means of getting to the village at once? Of course, I mean a carriage."

Ralph threw his cigar, freshly lighted, across the track, then wondered why. He was not in the habit of discarding cigars upon being addressed by persons with whom he was not acquainted. He answered:

"Don't know, I'm sure. I hope—er, a carriage can be secured. I had decided to wait inside for a time."

He opened the door and bowed as she passed through, observing that her attire was faultless, and tried to imagine what brought her to this deserted country station. Ralph inquired of the ticket agent if he could get a carriage to drive to town at once and being informed in the negative, seated himself beside his new acquaintance.

"There doesn't seem to be any way out of it," he said, "unless we walk."

"Then I suppose I must wait for the rain," she said.

"We's if you do not object," he corrected, "I should be honored to act as porter," glancing at her valise, "and escort."

"Thank you indeed, if you will be so good, though I fear it would be presuming too much upon your kindness."

"The kindness will lie entirely in your allowing me to assist," he said. Through the hazy transparency of the veil he could distinguish handsome outlines, and eyes that shone and laughed. There could be no necessity for wearing it indoors. Her voice sounded as the voice of one he had heard often, somewhere. A suggestion of a soft, modulated drawl was pleasing. Who among his feminine acquaintances possessed that peculiarity of accent. Suddenly he turned toward her and scrutinized her intently.

It was in London, three years before, he recalled, that he had met her and after meeting her he had postponed his return to New York. Her party traveled to Paris and over the continent, and singularly, his plans took him to the same places. When they parted he had promised to write. But he omitted to include his street address in his missive, and she had no means of learning the location of his office. A mustache adorned the lip which had been smooth when she knew him in Europe.

"I've run out here on some live stock business, and as I'm not expected, there's no one here to meet me. Otherwise my transportation facilities would be entirely at your service."

"If it comes to that, it is I who should excuse myself for being here," she replied. "I have been invited to the wedding of a college friend, and thinking I could not come sent regrets. Then at the eleventh hour I managed to get away," smiling, "and so—"

"And so we're here."

She looked at him questioningly. He wished he had an invitation to that wedding. He only said:

"The rain has ceased. Shall we start?"

"Certainly, if you wish."

"I ought to introduce myself. My name is Ralph Allen. My home is in New York." The statement did not sound very smooth, but he had opened a subject.

"I am very glad to have met you, Mr. Allen. I can't thank you enough for bothering to help me tonight."

"I should like you, please, not to speak of that again. Once for all, it is a privilege. But it is so pleasant now. And I was thinking of a girl I knew once. She was very much like you. That's why I speak of her. You—you don't mind?"

"No; I should like to hear," she said slowly, looking away from him. Then he continued:

"She was in England several years ago, and we met." He spoke as though recalling memories to his own mind, and did not look at the woman at his side. "I only knew her a month, and perhaps I shouldn't have taken the liberty. But I couldn't help thinking—so much of her."

"And you?"

"I had to return to New York. It would not have been fair to tell her so soon."

"You think so? Selfish."

"I wrote to her, and she would have answered, I thought, but I never heard from her."

"Tell me, do you make a practice of leaving your correspondents to guess at your address? She—she may not have known where to write?"

"I don't understand. She knew I lived in New York."

"You might have been thoughtful enough to mention your residence or your office number."

"That was like her, that remark. That's why I told you. Do you think she cared? Do you think she cares now?"

"Why—why don't you ask her?"

"The satchel fell to the walk. He sought both her hands and held them in his."

"Do you, Mabel, do you?"

"The veil was not over her face now, and she said:

"Yes; oh, yes."

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## WANTS

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TO SELL OR EXCHANGE—Detective and love stories. E. L. P., Box 208, Grayling, Mich. 8-7-1.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Davenport, kitchen cabinet and range. These articles are in first class condition and can be bought cheap by applying at Avalanche office.

FOR SALE—Modern house with one lot, garage, fine lawn, on Main Street. Beautiful place and best of location. Easy terms. Inquire of Thomas Cassidy. 8-7-3.

LOTS FOR SALE—corner of Maple and Smith streets, Liberty bonds accepted in payment. Inquire of Mrs. J. H. McKone, Residence corner of Lonon and Park Streets, near Dan-iah church.

FOR SALE—House and lot, Corner Lake and Maple streets, known as the Mrs. J. S. Meilstrup house. Hot and cold water; bat, maple floors, steam heat, and all modern conveniences. T. W. Hanson, Grayling.

FOR SALE—House and two lots, South Side, good location. Offered cheap for quick sale. Also 60 acres in Beaver Creek township, 20 acres are hardwood and hemlock timber, 12 acres cleared and balance pasture land. Inquire of Chris Jenson, Grayling, P. O. Box 8. 8-7-3.

FOR SALE—Ford Car; 1917 model; 4 new tires; \$350 cash. Grayling Greenhouses.

FOR SALE—Large size favorite base burner,



Tires are such an important part of car enjoyment and car economy that they deserve your serious consideration—for a time.

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Are you bothered with too frequent action of the kidneys? Are the secretions highly colored—do they contain sediment—burn and scald in voiding? These are all signs of kidney sickness and should not be neglected. Grayling people recommend Doan's Kidney pills. If your back aches and your kidneys are weak you will find no better recommended remedy.

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Adv.

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## CRAWFORD COUNTY AGENTS COLUMN

Last year in this column the County Agent took occasion to call attention to the desirability of using muck for bedding and passing it out with the manure on the lands, thus getting advantage of a cheap sanitary bedding, which is better than straw, and with straw at the present price much more economical. Aside from this it multiplies the amount and value of the manure.

At the Soils conference held at the Michigan Agricultural College on August first the value of muck with manure applied to sand lands was shown very forcibly. Could the farmers of this section only see these demonstrations they would do more to convince them of the profit to be derived from such a practice than all the talking and writing that can be done by County Agents or Extension workers.

Will not some farmer take this matter up and give it a trial? At this time when the muck is dry and easy to get at, it would not be such a hard job to draw up some and place in a shed where it will be kept dry and use it this winter with cattle.

The Soils demonstrations put on at the Roscommon County farm with sweet clover, Mammoth clover and alfalfa are doing well, considering the season of high winds and drought. The Mammoth clover is looking exceptionally well and is one of the easiest stands in the country. It must be borne in mind that this stand is on a bed of sand that was so badly run that it refused to grow June grass. The plot was limed at the rate of two tons per acre and inoculated. Prior to this a good firm seed bed was obtained by thorough rolling and dragging.

The County Agent on a trip last week has been examining the grasshopper belt and finds that as a general rule the main body has moved southwards about 24 miles this season and has moved eastward nearly as far. There are some scattering flocks even farther south and east. Clear into Gladwin county they are playing havoc and promise to get worse for several years to come, with ordinary seasons. They are like a forest fire and just as destructive wherever they work. When they have attained a certain numerical degree they increase at an amazing rate, and it is only by the hardest work and utmost co-operation that they are going to be got under control. Seventy-five per cent of the farmers have not yet awakened to the necessity of prompt and continuous action. They seem to think in spite of all that has been said and written that the fighting of grasshoppers is a chore that can be done at convenience and once in a while. They are just about to get a rude awakening and will find that it is a daily chore that is just as important to do as to milk the cows, and that occasionally if one or the other had to be missed that it would pay better to miss the milking. This may seem strong but it is very little too strong if any. Even then it is not a question exactly of grasshopper eradication but of grasshopper control, for to control them and keep them down enough to escape the enormous loss they entail when let go unrestricted, is about all we can hope for until that time comes, it be soon or late when nature will eradicate them.

The Community of Nester was organized in the Roscommon County Farm Bureau work last Tuesday night July 29th with projects and committee men as follows:

Organization & Membership, chairman, J. A. Benmark, Butman, Mich.

Records, T. A. Michener, Vernecroft, Mich. and Grasshopper Control, Samuel Kennedy, Gladwin, Mich. No. 5.

The meeting was well attended, there being about fifty per cent of the farmers and their wives in the community present. It looks as though this community while late in organizing bid fair to surpass some of the earlier organized communities in point of interest in the work.

NOTICE.  
To the owner or owners of any and all interests in or liens upon the lands herein described:

Take notice that sale has been lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes thereon, and that the undersigned has title thereto under tax deed or deeds issued therefor, and that you are entitled to a reconveyance thereof at any time within six months after return of service of this notice, upon payment to the undersigned or to the Register in Chancery of the County in which the lands lie, of all sums paid upon such purchase, together with one hundred per cent additional thereto, and the fees of the sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice, to be computed as upon personal service of a declaration as commencement of suit, and the further sum of five dollars for each description without other additional cost or charges. If payment as aforesaid is not made the undersigned will institute proceedings for possession of the land.

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